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Chairperson and Members
Board of Land and Natural Resources
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Honolulu, HI

Land Board Members:

SUBJECT:

REQUEST APPROVAL TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRPERSON TO ISSUE, EXECUTE, AND EXTEND A \$103,454.00 CONTRACT ON BEHALF OF THE JAPANESE CULTURAL CENTER OF HAWAI'I TO

CREATE AND DEVELOP A TEACHER'S GUIDE AND CURRICULUM MATERIALS TO ACCOMPANY THE FILM DOCUMENTARY, "THE 1800: THE UNTOLD STORY OF THE INTERNMENT OF JAPANESE IN HAWAI'I", FOR DISTRIBUTION

TO HAWAI'I PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HIGH SCHOOLS

This submittal requests the approval to authorize the Chairperson to issue, execute and extend a \$103,454.00 contract on behalf of the Japanese Cultural Center of Hawai'i to create and develop a teacher's guide and curriculum materials to accompany the film documentary, "The 1800: The Untold Story of the Internment of Japanese in Hawai'i", for distribution to Hawai'i public and private high schools.

BACKGROUND:

The primary goals of this project are to educate students on the history of World War II internment and confinement sites in Hawai'i and explore the broader social and political issues surrounding them. It would provide a teacher's guide and supplemental curriculum materials to accompany the classroom film documentary to assist teachers in teaching lessons on the World War II confinement and explore themes of racism, discrimination, democracy, civil and constitutional rights. In addition, it would help to raise public awareness and understanding of the Japanese American World War II experience and encourage support to preserve Hawai'i's five confinement sites.

DISCUSSION:

The project funded equally by appropriation LNR802 General Funds (G-13-802) and Federal Funds (S-13-209) in the amount of \$51,727.00 per fund for a total amount of \$103,454.00.

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RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board approve and authorize the Chairperson to issue, execute and extend a \$103,454.00 contract on behalf of the Japanese Cultural Center of Hawai'i to create and develop a teacher's guide and curriculum materials to accompany the film documentary, "The 1800: The Untold Story of the Internment of Japanese in Hawai'i", for distribution to Hawai'i public and private high schools.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPROVAL FOR SUBMITTAL:

WILLIAM J. AILA, JR., Chairperson Board of Land and Natural Resources